

REQUIRES MONITORING
OR STAFF ACTION _____

COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT. _____

DATE June 2, 2004

TRANSPORTATION DEPT. _____

DOCKET NO. 2004-126-E

UTILITIES DEPT. XXX

ORDER NO. _____

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2004-126-E – Proceeding to Review the Gas Supply Agreement between South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G) and SCANA Energy Marketing, Inc. (SEMI). Columbia Energy, LLC has filed a Petition to Intervene. Discuss with the Commission receipt of SCE&G's Opposition to the intervention of Columbia Energy, LLC.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Denied the Motion of SCE&G to Dismiss Columbia Energy from this Proceeding on the basis of Columbia having made substantial allegations of possessing a real interest in the outcome of this proceeding. However, the Commission agrees with SCE&G that a simple Protective Order may not be sufficient to preserve certain proprietary information in this matter. Due the Propriety nature of certain information which SEMI and/or SCE&G may be required to present in discovery and at the hearing in this matter, and the fact that the Intervenor Columbia Energy is a competitor, in permitting Columbia Energy to Intervene that the Commission will notify the parties that the Commission will **carefully** consider any Motions by the parties concerning the redaction or exclusion of portions of pre-filed documents and testimony and discovery responses. The parties should also be notified that the Commission will carefully consider any Motions concerning the treatment and protection of proprietary or commercially sensitive information.

APPROVED _____

PRESIDING Clyburn

APPROVED STC 30 DAYS _____

CLYBURN Yes

ACCEPTED FOR FILING _____

FLEMING Yes

DENIED _____

HAMILTON Yes

AMENDED _____

HOWARD Yes

TRANSFERRED _____

MITCHELL Yes

SUSPENDED